250,000 TONS FOR THE WEEK AND MORE TO COME.

August a Record Month for the U. S. Steel Corporation-More Ore Ships for the Great Lakes-Some Contracts for Foreign Iron-Blast Furnaces Busy.

The feature of the iron and steel trades continues to be the heavy buying of steel rails, says the Iron Age to-day. Last week the railroads ordered 200,000 tons, but for the week just closed it is estimated that total sales footed up to 250,000 tons. The biggest order reported by the trade paper last week was one for 50,000 tons by the Santa Fé, but there are three orders of 50,000 tons or over this week.

Among the large orders are 70,000 tons for the Chicago and Northwestern, 55,000 tons for the St. Paul and 50,000 tons for the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy. In the South the Atlantic Coast Line has taken the South the Atlantic Coast line has taken 15,000 tons, while the Tidewater Railway has ordered between 8,000 and 10,000 tons and the Reading road 15,000 tons. It is understood that within the next two weeks the requirements of the Pennsylvania and the New York Central roads will be brought

out.

"Further heavy equipment orders have been placed," says the Iron Age, "the Pennsylvania leading with over 16,000 steel cars. Among the orders to be placed is a lot of 1,000 steel cars for the Lake Shore and Eastern, controlled by the Steel Corporation.

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"The activity in nearly all lines of finished material is evidenced by the fact that the orders booked by the Steel Corporation for August make that the record month. The pressure which caused the advance in the price of structural material from 1.60 cents base, Pittsburg, to 1.70 cents last week is expected to lead to a like advance in the price of plates at an early date. Angle bars have been put up to 1.50 cents, Pittsburg, and some makers of iron bars are holding out for higher figures.

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"From Cleveland comes the news that contracts have been let for two sdditional ships, and it is reported that two ore vessels of exceptional size are to be given out at an early date.

"In the pipe trade the principal item of interest has been the placing of an order for sixty miles of 18 inch pipe by the Ohio Fuel Supply Company. A smaller order placed is for fifteen miles of 10 inch pipe.

"In the pig iron trade, it is worthy of note that there has been some contracting for foreign iron. A tidewater steel plant has purchased a lot of English Bessemer, the exact quantity not being known, while a large maker of cast iron pipe has bought a round lot of Middlesborough pig. In both these cases the iron is to be used to cover export orders for finished product.

"So far as Bessemer pig is concerned, it is quite evident that the Steel Corporation will probably need additional quantities of outside iron. There have just been ordered into blast the Niles, Columbus and Riverside furnaces, so that every stack belonging to the Steel Corporation is now on the active list with the exception of Zanesville."

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PITTSBURG, Sept. 6.—There was much comment in Steel circles to-day when it was announced that the Carnegie Steel Company has withdrawn from the market for 1905. The order books are filled with contracts for structural shapes, steel rails, plates and billets and sheet bars. This is the first time since 1902 that orders have been so plentiful.

REYNOLDS ANSWERS M'AVOY. Extracts From Lexow Testimony Enliven

Fight in the Twenty-seventh. At a meeting of the Long Acre Democratic Club, held in the clubhouse at 145 West Forty-fifth street, last night, Thomas L. Reynolds answered the attack made upon him by Deputy Police Commissioner Thomas F. McAvoy, who accused Reynolds of various crimes in a speech made at the Twenty-seventh Assembly District Democratic Club on Tuesday night.

"I did not intend to make a speech at all,"

"I did not intend to make a speech at all," said Mr. Reynolds, "but my opponents have begun to sling mud and I am forced to defend myself. Regarding the statement that I offered for sale two forged notes for \$50,000, that is easily explained. On Aug. 18 last Lloyd Perry, a broker of 243 Broadway, who is present and will corroborate my statements, came to me and asked if I could handle two notes for \$50,000 each. I said I could if the notes were good and the price right.

"Samuel T. Bondhus, president of Bondhus & Co., who was acting as an agent for a man who said he was William H. Stephens, offered the notes to Mr. Perry. The notes were reported to me to be those of a big clock concern, whose rating shows a million dollars or more of capital and the highest credit. I offered to take them at 85 and Benedict & Cobb, Wall street brokers, offered to take them off my hands for 4½ per cent. commission. The deal would have netted me over \$10,000, but when I called for the notes they were not to be had. The notes did not in fact exist.

"After getting acquainted with Mr. Bondhus, Stephens got him to cash a check for \$25 and disappeared. When the clock concern heard of the matter they said that if any such notes were in existence they were forgeries. Mr. McAvoy, as Police

concern heard of the matter they said that if any such notes were in existence they were forgeries. Mr. McAvoy, as Police Commissioner, of course heard of the transaction, and that is all the foundation he has for his statements of last night. Now I ask, if he has the evidence sufficient to convict me of trying to sell forged notes, why does he not arrest me and so perform his sworn duty as a policeman?"

Nobody volunteered an answer and Mr. Reynolds continued:

"I am not here to accuse any one of anything, but I am going to read to you part of the sworn testimony given by Capt. Schmitt-

the sworn testimony given by Capt. Schmitt-berger at the time of the Lexow investi-

gation."

Mr. Reynolds then read extracts from Capt. Schmittberger's testimony in which Schmittberger said he had been requested by Commissioner Martin, whom Reynolds is trying to beat for the leadership, not to disturb the disorderly houses in Forty-sixth street, between Sixth avenue and Broadway. street, between Sixth avenue and Broadway. He also read the statement made by Schmittberger in which the latter said he had sent Policeman Casey to investigate a disorderly house in West Fifty-first street and that he had been called upon by Commissioner Martin to and the officer back to apologize, and that although he stated to Commissioner Martin that the raid had been made on complaint of a citizen, Martin answered: "Well. I don't care; I want you to do what you are told," and Schmittberger said he had to send the policeman back to apologize.

The speaker made no comments on what he had read, but turned to that part of the report dealing with graft money collected by Schmittberger and paid to McAvoy. According to that testimony, Schmittberger admitted collecting \$600 a month and paying over to McAvoy about \$150 each month. "If these men were innocent of these charges

"If these men were innocent of these charges why did they not say so then and demand an investigation, instead of waiting until they were protected by the ten year limitation and then saying they never took a

"Now regarding the statement that I offered Col. Thurston \$50,000 for the gambling privilege. Col. Thurston himself has denied that and said that if I ever had made such an offer he would have arrested me then and there. Adjutant-Gen. Henry was said to have been a witness to that alleged offer, but if Gen. Henry will say that I was offered \$50.000 for the gambling that I ever offered \$50.000 for the gambling privilege, or any other sum for any other illegitimate purpose. I will give \$10.000 to any charitable institution he may name."

#### Wabash Directors Meet.

The first meeting of the directors of the Wabash and the Wheeling and Lake Erie railroad since the return of George J. Gould the meeting. His resignation as president of the Wabash takes effect Oct. 1. After the meeting yesterday one of the directors said that nothing but routine business had been done. There had been persistent rumors of resignations from the directorate of the Wabash. This is the

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#### LOYESICK PORTO RICAN'S END.

ENDS PERSECUTION OF GIRL BY SHOOTING HIMSELF.

Miss Westin's Brother Employed Him as a Waiter-She Discouraged His Attentions and at Last Got Warrant for Him -Stumbled Over His Body at Flat Door.

A Porto Rican, who is only known to the police by the name of Cassario, committed suicide last night at 6 o'clock at the door of Miss Florence Westin's flat, on the top floor of the apartment house at 14 West 117th street, because she spurned his love and told him that she would have nothing

Miss Westin and her brother have a estaurant at 445 Sixth avenue, and one on the Bowery. From what the tenants in the house where the Westins live said last night, it appears that Cassario came here some months ago from Porto Rico, and after his money was gone was forced to take a job as a waiter in their restaurant. Miss Westin is an attractive girl, 20 years old, and after the Porto Rican had been there a few days he began paying attentions to her, which she did not encourage.

His attentions became so objectionable that his employers were forced to get rid of him, but this did not put a stop to his lovemaking. He wrote the young woman several letters and he hung around their place, so that Miss Westin became afraid and went to the country for some weeks to keep away from him. She returned a few days ago, and Cassario renewed his attentions with more fervor than ever. The young woman and her brother were then living uptown on the East Side, but they removed to 117th street, so as to keep

away from him. Two days ago Cassario learned that they were living in 117th street, but he did not know the number, so he started out at the East River, and visited every house until he reached the place where they lived and found their name on the letter box. When Miss Westin left the house on Tuesday to go-downtown she was met at the door by him, and he told her that he could not live without her, and asked her to marry him. She replied that marriage was out of the question, and that the best thing

of the question, and that the best thing for him to do was not bother her any more. He told her that if she spurned his love in that manner she would be sorry.

The young woman told her brother, and said that she was afraid of the man. She went to the Harlem court yesterday, where she obtained a warrant for his arrest. She told Magistrate Baker that she was afraid he would try to kill her and himself. Cassario waited around her house last night, and when she did not reach home at the hour he expected, he went upstairs and shot himself in the right temple with a .38 caliber revolver. She arrived about 6 o'clock and almost stumbled over his body. She ran downstairs screaming for help, and found William Braunstein the janitor, who summoned Policeman George Leonard of the East 126th street station. When Leonard went upstairs he found the man was dead, with the revolver clutched in his right hand. The body was removed to the

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the letters addressed to Miss Westin he said:

I told you my life would be unbearable without you. Since I have lost you, I don't care about anything. Let me give my body a rest. I love you and I cannot help it. I remember how happy I was when I used to sit and look into your beautifulface. Won't you please come and look at me once more? In another letter he said that he had stopped putting sugar in his coffee, because when he thought of her face that was enough sweetness for him. He said that he would put some sugar in his pocket, because he wanted his exit to be sweet, and three lumps of loaf sugar were found in his pocket. In the letter to Mr. and Mrs. Clacke he said: "If my mother asks for me tell her that I have gone to Mexico." In that letter he said that Miss Westin had not tell her that I have gone to Mexico." In that letter he said that Miss Westin had not received his attentions with favor, and the sooner he was dead the better it would be for him, because he would go mad if he had to live away from her. There were three pawntickets in his pocket, one for a revolver, one for a coat and one for a pair of shoes. He had no

money.

Jack Baldwin, who lives in the house with Jack Baldwin; who lives in the house with the Westins, said that he saw the man hanging around the place yesterday after-noon, and he thought from the nervous manner in which he acted that he was bent on harm. Miss Westin told some of her chums in the neighborhood that she was afraid he would kill her. The Westins were not at home last night.

WANTS ENGINEERS IN A HURRY Water Board Applies for Civil Service

Exemptions-Strenuous Opposition. The Civil Service Reform Association strongly opposed the request of the Board of Water Supply for twenty-seven further exemptions from civil service examinations for the engineering staff of the board at a public hearing held yesterday by the Civil Service Commission. The exemptions were desired in order that the board might quickly augment its engineering forces so as to proceed with the work on the \$100.000,000 addition to the city's water supply. In addition, representatives of the Association of Civil Employees also appeared against the request of the Water Board, as did representatives of the engineers now in the city service. The Water Board already has nineteen exempt places, and the new request would result in the exemption of eight additional division engineers, six department engineers, six general engiexemptions from civil service examinations department engineers, six general engineers, four designing engineers, one private secretary to the chief engineer, one head clerk in the examining department and one expert indexer and filer in the engineering

department.
Commissioner Chadwick spoke for the Board of Water Supply.
"The question of time is the all important question in this work." said he. "To get the water quickly for the city we must get the projecting force preserved.

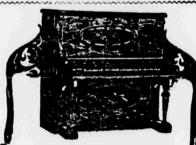
water quickly for the city we must get the engineering force necessary to do our work. Before we are done we may have to employ an army of 1,000 engineers and we want them to be the ablest men in the profession. The problem of bringing 1,000,000,000 gallons of water to the city is a stupendous undertaking requiring decisive action."

J. Warren Greene, for the Civil Service Reform Association, said: "Commissioner Chadwick makes an able argument, but it is opposed to the civil service law. I see no position in this proposed exempt list which cannot be filled by competitive examination."

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George R. Crowley, represented the Association of Civil Employees and S. William Briscoe appeared for the Municipal Engineers. Chief Engineer J. Waldo Smith of the Water Board said that the list requested by the board for exemption called for men who he did not think could readily be chained though divil envise phannels. right hand. The body was removed to the station house. Four letters were in the man's pockets. Three were addressed to Miss Westin and one-to a Mr. and Mrs. Clacke. All the letters were unsigned with the exception of the letter "R." In one of PIANOS AND ORGANS.



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#### **BLOW TO ARBITRATION PACT**

DEFIANCE OF METAL WORKERS THREATENS A RUPTURE.

Believed Some Union Men Seek to Force a Return to Old Conditions in Building Trades-Strikers Take Tools Off Their Jobs-The Employers Won't Yield.

The decision of the Amalgamated Steel Metal Workers to remain on strike, arbitration agreement or no arbitration agreement, until their demands are met was a surprise to the employers. An informal meeting of members of the Employers' Association of Roofers and Sheet Metal Workers of New York and adjacent cities was held yesterday afternoon in the Building Trades Club, but nothing was done, as no punitive measures are provided for such cases in the arbitration agreement.

The general sentiment among those present was to fight the strike to a finish. To yield a single point in the face of a flat defiance of the orders of the general arbi-tration board would mean that the arbitra-tion agreement was a fizzle. The attitude of a number of the strike leaders indicated that the strike was purposely brought about by the element in the union which is opposed to arbitration in order to cut loose from the arbitration agreement and restore the old conditions, when strikes took the place of arbitration.

arbitration.

The revised arbitration agreement in Section 32 says: "The Building Trades Employers' Association agrees that the members, and the labor unions collectively agree, that the several unions and their members shall faithfully observe and abide by the provisions of this plan." This makes all the unions under the arbitration agree-ment parties to the dispute and puts on them the responsibility of providing men

ment parties to the dispute and puts on them the responsibility of providing men for the employers.

So anxious were the strikers to show that they wanted fight yesterday that at a meeting of the union in the Manhattan Lyceum, 66 East Fourth street, an order was issued for the strikers to remove their tools from the buildings where they were working. Some of the employers were furious at their employees who were on strike for having quit work last week after ripping up part of roofs to be repaired or removed, leaving the buildings exposed to the soaking rain of Labor Day.

One employing firm sent a letter to the Employers' Association to the effect that his employees had voted against the strike and were willing to return to work provided they could get protection. The firm asked for the same protection for these men as was given last year to carpenters who returned to work while the lockout was on. This matter and the situation generally will be taken up by the general largetice.

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At \$13.50, regularly \$22.50-Fine Austrian China Dinner Sets of 100 pieces, with soup tureen and three large meat dishes; pink floral decoration with all handles gilt.

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Figure "Bucheronne Wood Gatherer, at \$20, regularly \$27.50.
Figure "Spring," \$40, regularly \$60.
Figure "Jason," at \$67.50, regularly

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1.50.
Salad Bowls; at \$1; worth \$2 and \$3.
Chop Dishee, at \$1, worth \$2 and \$3.
Celery Trays, at \$1 each, worth \$2.
Cake Plates, at 50c each, worth \$1

and \$1.25. Cake Plates, at \$1, worth \$2 and \$2.50. Chocolate Pots, at \$1, worth \$2 and \$2.75. Chocolate Pots, at \$1.50, each worth

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Condensed Milk Holders; at 50c each; worth \$1 and \$1.50.
Condensed Milk Holders; at \$1 each; worth \$2 and \$2.50.

Basement, Second floor And Under-Price Store.

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#### IMPORTED WRAPS For Women

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lace or embroidery and insertions, and ribbon. Chemises; of nainsook, trimmed with Drawers, of nainsook, with ruffle of fine embroidery. Some with ribbon.

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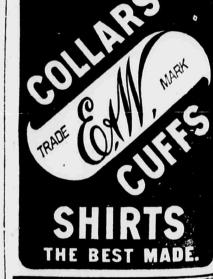
The new board of business agents, composed of the unions working under the arbitration agreement, met yesterday and passed an ambiguous resolution which stated that the board would render the strikers "all the assistance required." It developed that in a number of unions under the arbitration agreement there is an element which is trying to bring about a return to old conditions.

President Knight of the Amalgamated Sheet Metal Workers said last evening that two-thirds of the strikers had obtained work principally from independent contractors. According to Knight, six members of the Employers' Association had granted the demands. This is denied The new board of business agents, com-

by the association.

Another attempt has been made by Plasterers Union No. 25, which is still locked out, to get control of the trade. There was a conference yesterday between committees of its members and of the Employing Plasterers' Association, with a view to settling the plasterers' lockout, but the proposition of the union was turned down.

Separation for Florence Crosby Hermann. Justice Amend of the Supreme Court handed down yesterday a judgment in favor of Mrs. Florence Crosby Hermann, who some months ago sued for a separation from her husband, George Hermann, a wealthy lumberman. She saked for a separation, alleging cruelty. She was once an actrees.



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